KING COUNTY CERTIFIED EROSION & SEDIMENT CONTROL LEAD TRAINING

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COURSE OBJECTIVES LEARN TO:

- Assess and manage risks of erosion and sedimentation on construction sites
- Understand water quality regulatory requirements pertaining to the construction industry
- Comply with the Construction Stormwater NPDES General Permit for construction activities
- Know the 13 elements of a SWPPP
- Plan, install, monitor and maintain BMPs that comply with Ecology's Construction NPDES permit
- Provide CESCL certification for attendees

What Is Covered:

- Impacts of Erosion and Sedimentation - CT
- Regulatory Requirements - DN
- Erosion & Sedimentation Processes - JB
- Factors Influencing Erosion – JB
- BMPs for the 13 Elements of a SWPPP CD/JB/CT/EB
- Stormwater Pollution Prevention Planning CT
- Monitoring/Reporting/Recordkeeping CT

Course Materials on-line

- Construction General Stormwater Permit
- Permit Application & Relevant Forms
- SWPPP Template
- List of Sampling Labs
- Regulatory Contacts

- FTP on King County CESCL Training web site.
- http://www.kingcounty.gov/environment/water-and-land/stormwater/erosion-sediment-control-training.aspx

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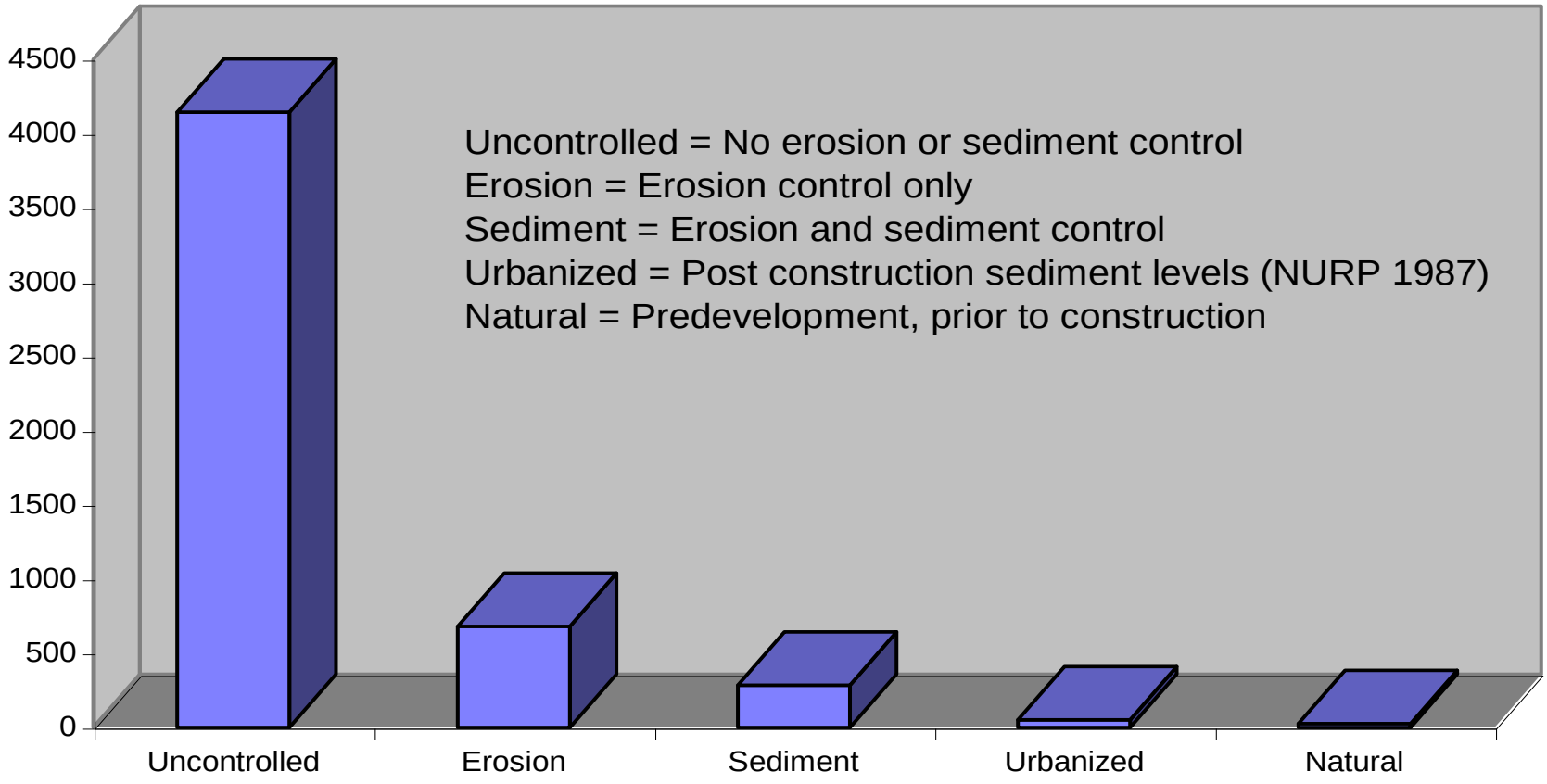
- Creative Courses
- King County DNRP
- Washington Department of Ecology
- Port of Seattle
- Clark County Community Development
- Clark County Watershed Stewards
- Soil Conservation Society
- National Aeronautical & Space Adminis

Why is this Erosion Control Stuff such a Big Deal?

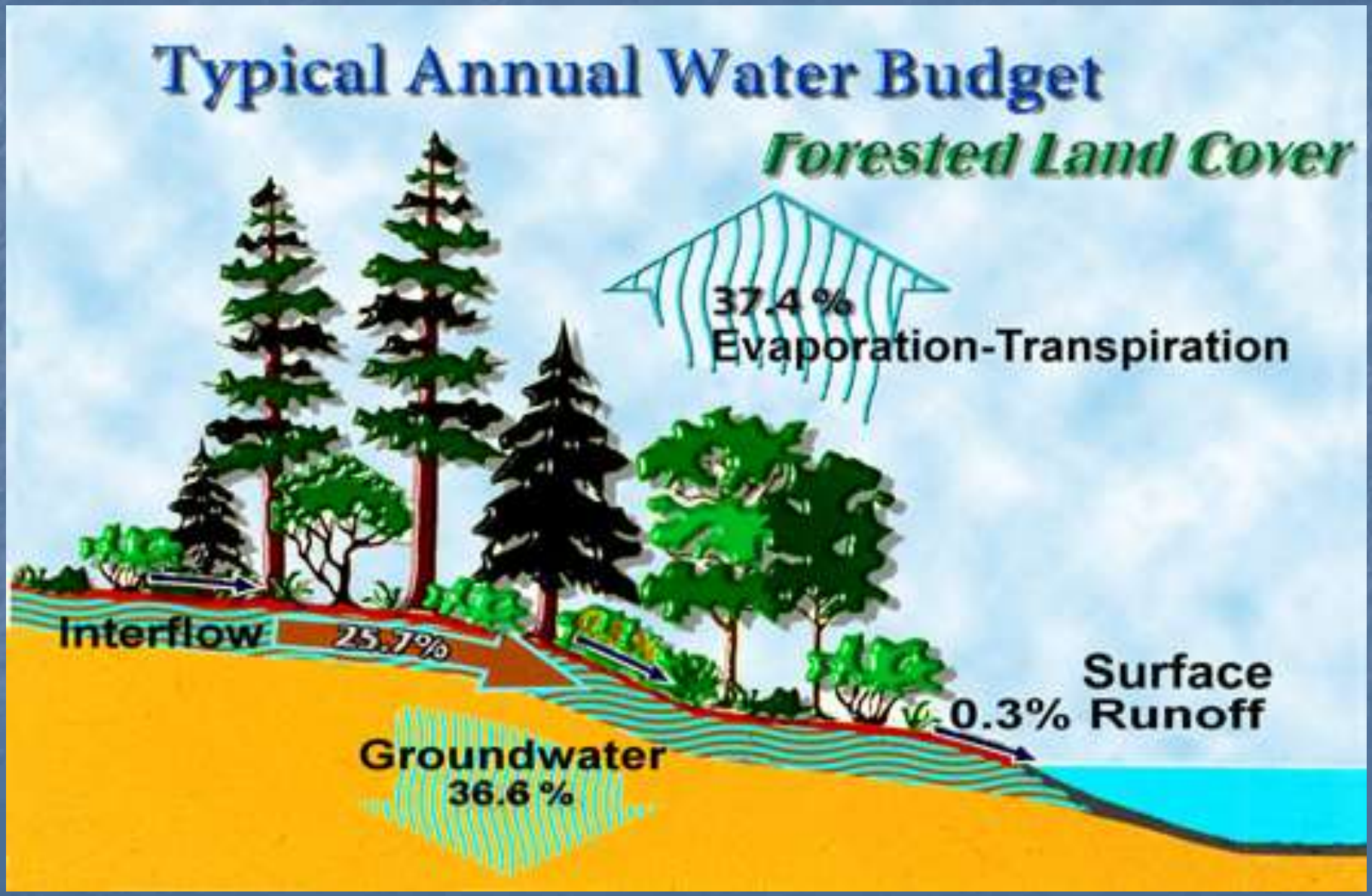
CONSTRUCTION SITE CONDITION

STORM MEDIAN SEDIMENT CONCENTRATION (mg/l)

Source: Performance of current Sediment Control Measures at Maryland Construction Sites, Virginia Erosion and Sediment Control Handbook.



Natural Conditions



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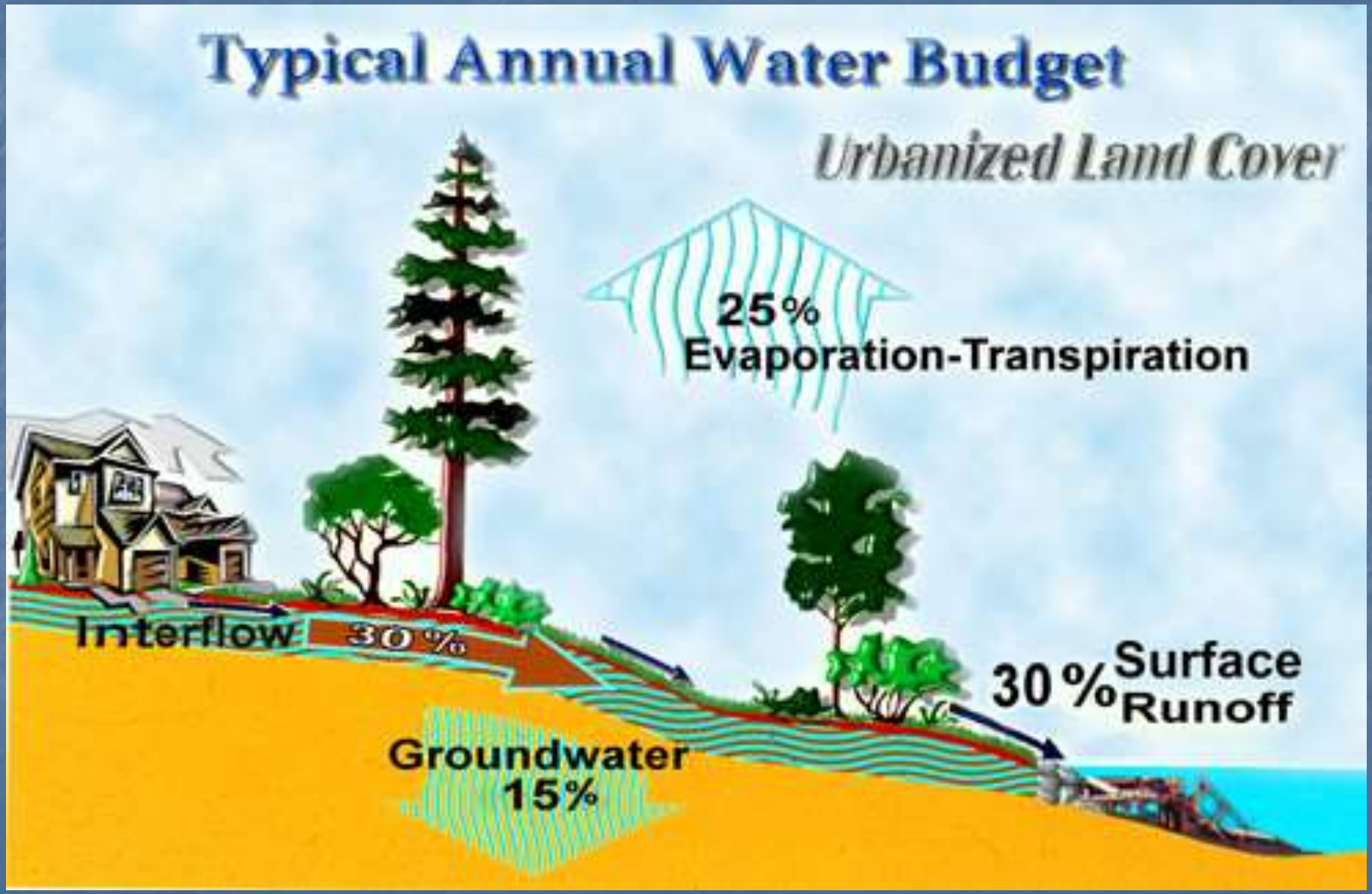
Developed Conditions



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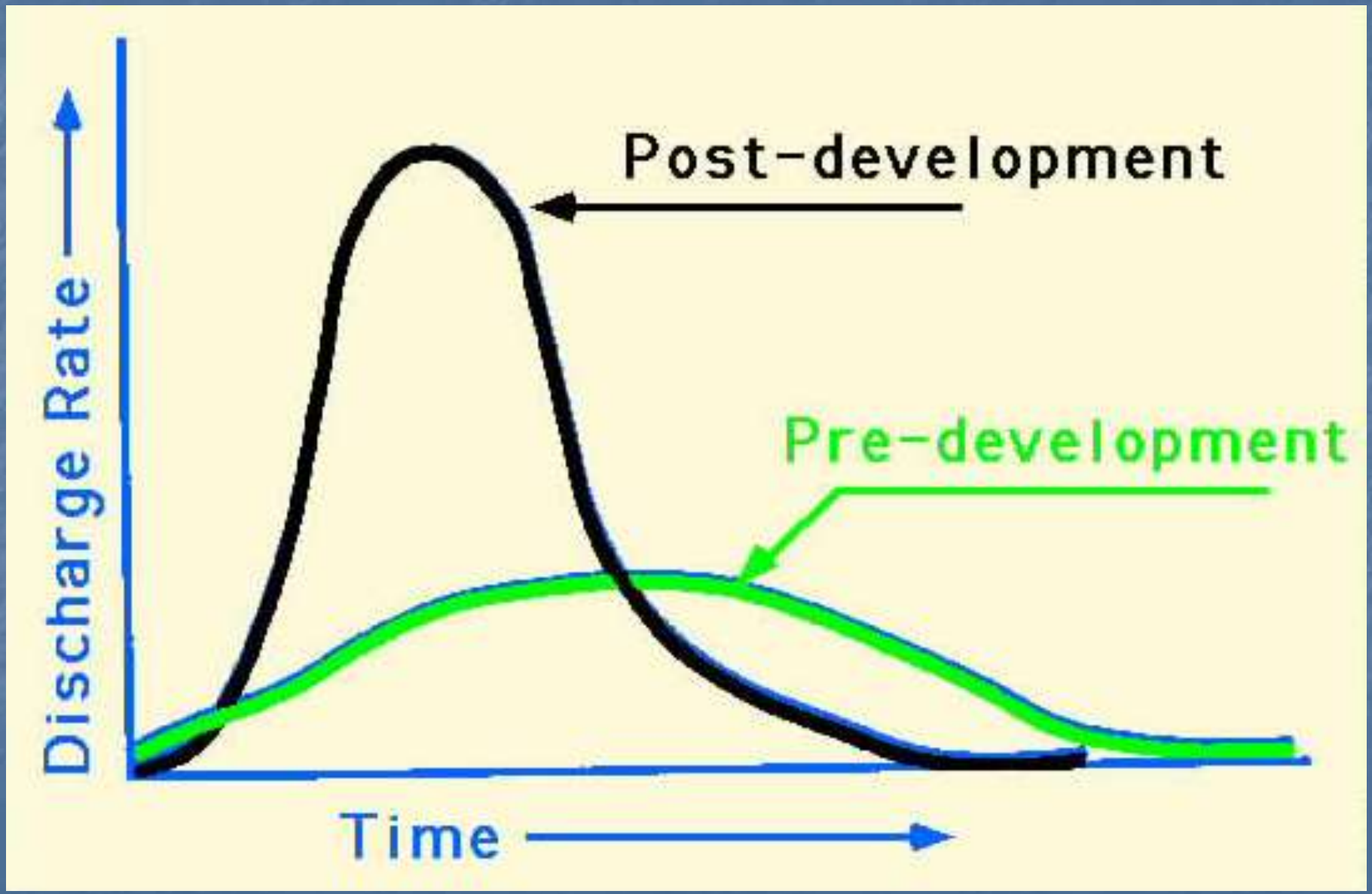
Runoff Hydrograph



Sediment Plume from Construction Site - $$$$ & Stop Work Order-Fines - Costly Cleanups

Impacts of Erosion and Sedimentation

- Construction Delays & Increased Costs
- Legal Costs
- Mitigation Costs
- Fisheries Impacts
- Profitability Impacts

Digging yourself Out of a hole

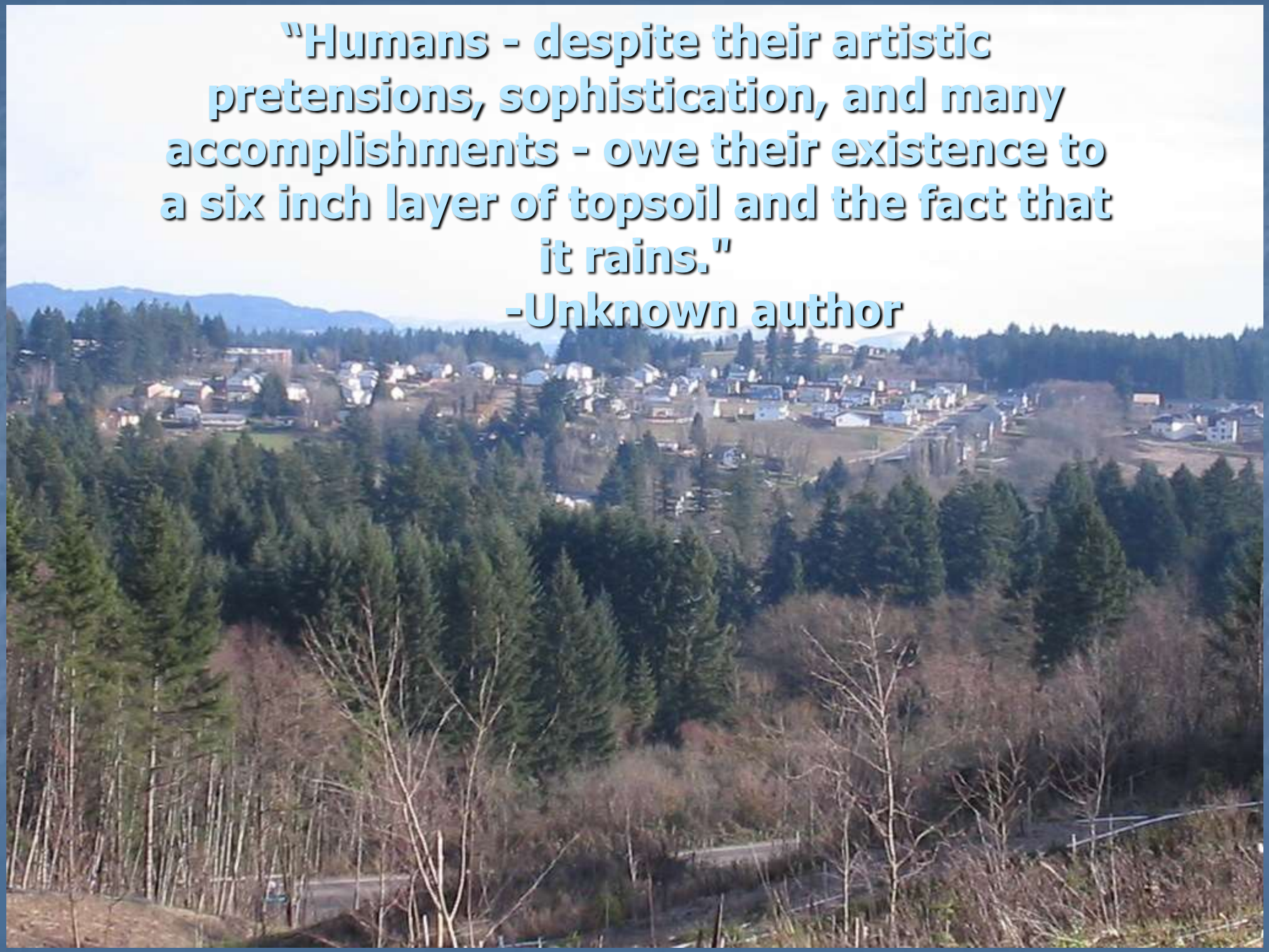

37 Filters @ $150.00ea. = $5,550
This filter is in a subdivision that has not even started home construction yet


Cleanup Costs :
Storm System Clean-out & Repair

Mitigation Costs

- Offsite Damage to Private Property
  - Remove Sediments
  - Repair Slopes/ Grades
- Offsite Damage to Water Resources
  - Wetland Mitigation

    ($80,000 to $100,000 per acre)
  - Stream Mitigation


"Humans - despite their artistic pretensions, sophistication, and many accomplishments - owe their existence to a six inch layer of topsoil and the fact that it rains."
-Unknown author